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SUBJECT: MESSAGE FOR PRESIDENT NIXON FROM PRESIDENT ASAD

REF: STATE 045416

1. IN RESPONSE TO PRESIDENT NIXON'S MESSAGE OF
MARCH 7, WE HAVE RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FOR HIM
FROM PRESIDENT ASAD: QTE DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:

I WISH TO EXPRESS MY SINCERE THANKS FOR YOUR KIND MESSAGE
ON THE OCCASION OF THE ELEVENTH ANNIVERSARY OF MARCH 8TH
REVOLUTION. I SEIZE THE OPPORTUNITY TO RECIPROCATATE BY
EXTENDING TO YOU, MR. PRESIDENT, AND TO THE PEOPLE OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, THE BEST WISHES OF THE ARAB
PEOPLE OF SYRIA AND MY OWN BEST WISHES FOR YOUR PERSONAL
GOOD HEALTH AND HAPPINESS AND FOR THE CONTINUED PROSPERITY
OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. AT THE SAME TIME I EXPRESS THE
SINCERE HOPE THAT OUR COMMON EFFORTS TOWARDS ESTABLISHING
JUST AND LASTING PEACE IN OUR REGION WILL BE CROWNED WITH
SUCCESS. SINCERELY, HAFEZ AL-ASSAD. UNQTE.
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